I.C.P.O. Calendar

23-29 December 2004

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I.C.P.O. Calendar (December 23 - 29, 2004)
Islands, Castles & Portable Operations
Operations are listed by start date (Day/Month/Year)
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Season's Greetings and Best Wishes for a Happy New Year!
May the new year bring you peace, happiness and good health.
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23/12/2004: JN4MBO/5, JA5BEX/5, JF0BPT/5 plan to operate from the Wasa Island (AS-076) (JIIA New), Nabe Island, Koyo Island, Yoshi Island (JIIA New) Kagawa Pref. between December 23-26th. The schedule will be from 1 day to half a day of operation from each island respectively. QSL to home calls, direct or via the bureau. [Tnx DE0MST]

23/12/2004: Jakob, OZ7AEI, plans to operate on 20 and 40 meters from the four lighthouses of Hvide Sande (ARLHS DEN-087, DEN-197, DEN-198, DEN-199). Activity will start around 08:00 UTC on 20 meters from the first lighthouse. Later he will QSY to 40 meters. He will go QRT around 13:00 UTC. If the band is open, he may try 15 meters also. QSL via home call. [Tnx OZ7AEI]

23/12/2004: Larry, KJ4UY, is expected to arrive on Nevis Island (IOTA NA-104) December 23rd. He will work on 160 through 6 meters until January 2nd as V47UY. QSL via home call. [Tnx DXNL]

24/12/2004: Jan (4X1VF), Ilya (4Z1UF), Shalom (4Z4BS), Mark (4Z4KX), Ruslan (4Z5LA) and Yuli (4X6HP) will operate as 4X0MS from the historical site of Masada (www.bibleplaces.com/masada.htm) from 10:00 UTC December 24th through 10:00 UTC December 26th. They will have two stations active on 80 through 10 meter CW and SSB. QSL via 4Z4BS. [Tnx 425DXN]

24/12/2004: Martin, G3ZAY, will be visiting St. Helena Island (AF-022) between December 24th and January 1st as ZD7ZA. QSL via home call. [Tnx 425DXN]

24/12/2004: Mark, VK2GND, will be QRV December 24-30th as ZK1GND from Rarotonga (OC-013), South Cook Islands. He expects to be active mainly on 14195 and 14273 kHz. QSL via home call. [Tnx 425DXN]

25/12/2004: Vlad, RA9WGK, will be active December 25th as RA9WGK/p from the Mechetlinsky Area (RDA reference BA-65 for the Russian Districts Award), Republic of Bashkortostan (BA). QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [Tnx RDA News]

25/12/2004: Marat, RA9WU, will be active December 25th as RA9WU/p from Agidel' City (RDA reference BA-08 for the Russian Districts Award), Republic of Bashkortostan (BA). QSL to home call, direct or bureau. [Tnx RDA News]

25/12/2004: Alik, RX9WN, and Andy, RW9WA, will be active December 25th as RX9WN/p and RW9WA/p from Demsky [UFA Areas] (RDA reference BA-01 for the Russian Districts Award), Republic of Bashkortostan (BA). QSL via home calls, direct or bureau. [Tnx RDA News]

26/12/2004: Yves (F6GDC), Pierre (F6CQX) and Eric (F5SSM) will be active December 26, 2004, to January 9, 2005, as 5T5DY from Mauritania. Activity will be on 40 through 10 meter SSB, with CW on request. The first week they will operate from Nouakchott, Atar and Tergit; during the second week Yves will spend three days on Banc d'Arguin (AF-050). QSL via F6GDC. [Tnx 425DXN]

26/12/2004: Look for Pete, N2LM, to be QRV December 26, 2004 to January 4, 2005 from Grand Cayman (NA-016). Activity will be on 80 through 10 meter SSB and RTTY. QSL via home call. [Tnx 425DXN]

27/12/2004: Ulf, CU7/DL5AXX, will stay on Ilha do Faial (IOTA EU-175, DIP AZ-007) with family and radio between December 27, 2004, and January 3, 2005. Without risking his family peace Ulf will try to listen especially for Asia in CW on the lowbands every evening. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [Tnx DXNL]

27/12/2004: Look for W5TLH to be active between December 27th, 2004, and January 2, 2005, from the following lighthouses: Halfmoon Reef Lighthouse (ARLHS reference USA-363); Aransas Pass Lighthouse (USA-018); and Matagorda Island Lighthouse (WLH K-096, ARLHS USA-482). If time and weather permits they will activate the historic locations at: Corpus Christi Lighthouse (USA-1137); Saluria Lighthouse (USA-1139); and Swash Lighthouse (USA-1182). The lighthouse activations will result in the activation of several islands in the IOTA NA-092 group as follows: San Jose Island (USI TX-005, Refugio county Texas); Matagorda Island (USI TX-010S, Calhoun county Texas); and Mustang Island (USI TX-011S, Nueces county Texas). Activity will be on 40 and 20 meter SSB. QSL via W5LTH (QRZ.com). Check the W5AZN web site for further details. [Tnx W5TLH]

27/12/2004: Aki, JA1KAJ reports that he will be QRV December 27th to January 2nd as YJ0AKA from Efate (OC-035), Vanuatu. Activity will be on 80 through 10 meter SSB, CW, RTTY and SSTV. January 4-9th he plans to be active from New Caledonia (OC-032), callsign not know so far. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [Tnx 425DXN]

29/12/2004: Tom, G0PSE, plans to activate the Anvil Point Lighthouse (ARLHS ENG-001) on Wednesday, December 29th or Thursday December 30th. The Special Event Callsign GB2APL has been applied for. If the special call is not granted in time, the callsigns G0PSE/P and M0AOD/P will be used. Activity will be on 40 through 10 meter SSB and CW. Look for them on the DXCluster. [Tnx G0PSE]

29/12/2004: Look for Take, JI3DST, to be QRV December 29, 2004, to January 5, 2005, as JI3DST/JS6 from Miyako Island (IOTA AS-079). Activity will be on 160 through 6 meter SSB, SSTV, RTTY and CW. QSL via JI3DST (QRZ.com). [Tnx G0UIH]

29/12/2004: Look for Wolf ZB2/DL4WK, Frank ZB2/DL7UFR, and Rolf ZB2/DL7VEE to hit the airwaves, with two stations, from Gibraltar between December 29, 2004 and January 4, 2005. Activity will be on 160 through 6 meter CW, SSB and RTTY. QSLs via home call, direct or bureau. [Tnx DXNL]

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01/01/2005: The special event station HA200CVM will remember the poet Csokonai Vitez Mihaly during January 2005. QSL via HA0NAR, bureau ok. [Tnx DXNL]

01/02/2005: The Naval Postgraduate School ARC (K6LY) will activate
Point Pi?os Lighthouse (ARLHS reference USA-634) February 1-7th, to
celebrate the 150th anniversary of the lighthouse. Look for activity on
7.270, 14.270, 21.370 and 28.370 MHz (+/- QRM). QSL direct to G.
Costello WC6DX, PO Box 1332, Monterey, CA 93942, U.S.A. [Tnx K6LY]
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73 and Good Hunting!
Dave Raycroft - VA3RJ
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Contest Calendar: http://www.qsl.net/va3rj/contest.html
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